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AND INTERMEDIATES USEFUL FOR THEIR PREPARATION

**AMENDMENT OF SPECIFICATION AND  
PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.84(b) FOR ACCEPTANCE OF PHOTOGRAPHS**

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Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

On page 9, under the header for the brief description of the drawings, please insert the following paragraph:

al --The file of this patent contains at least one drawing executed in color. Copies of this patent with color drawing(s) will be provided by the Patent and Trademark Office upon request and payment of the necessary fee.--

**PETITION**

In accordance with MPEP § 608.002 and 37 CFR §§ 1.84(b)(1) and 1.84(b)(2), Applicants respectfully request that the photographs submitted as Figures 7A, 9A, 9B, 9C, 9D, 10A, 10B, 11A, 11B, 12A, 12B, 14, 15, 17 in the above-identified patent application be accepted as formal drawings. The photographs illustrate aspects of the invention which can not be accurately or adequately depicted by ink drawings. The use of color in these photographs is necessary as the only practical medium by which to disclose the subject matter sought to be patented.

This petition is accompanied by a check in the amount of \$130.00 to pay the fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(i) and by a set of the photographs in question. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Please direct any inquiry concerning this request to the undersigned Attorney for Applicant at (612) 373-6939.

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